

AMERICAN GLOBE FLIERS MAKE HOP TO IVIGTUT; NO TRACE IS FOUND OF LIEUTENANT LOCATELLI

Klan Candidate Admits Defeat In Texas

JUDGE ROBERTSON
CONCEDES VICTORY
OF MRS. FERGUSON

Going to Take Bull by Horns and Show World She Can Make Creditable Governor, She Says.

SPELS DOWNFALL
OF KLAN IN TEXAS

Total Vote Will Be Much Heavier Than in First State Primary Held Upon July 26.

Dallas, Texas, August 24.—Judge Felix D. Robertson, backed by the Ku Klux Klan for the democratic gubernatorial nomination in the runoff primary held here Saturday, late Sunday conceded victory to Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, wife of former Governor James E. Ferguson.

Judge Robertson's message said: "I sincerely congratulate you on your victory."

As the democratic nomination in this state is considered equivalent to election, Texas is practically assured of having a woman as governor—the first in the history of the United States.

Majority Is 77,200.

In the latest returns, 227 counties, including 59 complete out of the state's 252, gave Mrs. Ferguson 392,936; Robertson, 315,710. The outstanding vote is largely in agricultural sections, where these returns are expected to give her the majority that she predicted she would have—125,000 votes.

The vote in the first primary on July 26, when there were seven candidates, was approximately 715,000.

When told of her victory at her home in Temple, Texas, Mrs. Ferguson said:

"There never was any doubt in my mind but what I would win. The people of Texas are tired of klan politics and misrepresentation. It was that issue that gave me the election.

"I am going to give Texas the best of my efforts to make them a true governor and execute the trust placed in me."

Show World She Can.

"There are many things to do, but I am going to take the bull by the horns and show the world that a woman can fill the governor's chair with credit to her and the state."

"I won't be satisfied unless I receive 100,000 votes majority. I am looking for the greatest democratic victory in the state's history. That's how much confidence I have in the good judgment of the people who have experienced two years of klan political direction."

I am not surprised at the trend of the vote. It is the direct result of, and indication that the klan is on the downhill grade in Texas."

Rest Several Days.

Mrs. Ferguson said she would re-

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8 Killed, 9 Hurt As Tornado Razes Louisiana Church

Crowd Took Refuge in Old Structure When Brewing Storm Drove Them Inside Building.

VICTIMS ARE PINNED UNDER PILE OF DEBRIS

Neighbors in Adjoining New Church Unscathed by Twister—Wreck Cleared in Two Hours.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Lutcher, La., August 24.—A twister demolished the old St. Philip's church at Vacherie, La., just across the Mississippi river from here, this afternoon during the progress of a church festival. Eight persons were killed, nine seriously injured and a score hurt.

The building, which had been abandoned as a church, but used as a school and for church festivals, was flattened, burying those within its walls, while other buildings in the vicinity escaped without serious damage.

It all happened during a period of minutes and a scene of gaiety was transformed into one of tragedy. Those attending the affair who took refuge in the new church and were unburt immediately set themselves to the task of digging out their friends from under the pile of twisted timbers.

Within two hours, the wreckage had been cleared. The bodies of the dead were removed and assistance given to the injured. Hurried calls for help brought physicians and aid from the surrounding communities. The more seriously injured were sent to New Orleans.

The dead and injured were among the most prominent citizens of this section.

Funeral services for all the victims will be held tomorrow from the new St. Philip's church.

TIGERS ACTIVE SUNDAY
58 Unfortunate Victims Invited to Police Station.

Bootleggers did a thriving business in Atlanta on Sunday.

Out of several hundred box calls during the day, patrol officers answered 58 for the specific purpose of returning drunks to the police station.

Veteran patrolmen declared that this was the largest number of persons arrested for drunkenness in several years.

Partially-filled pint bottles were found on the hip in most of the cases and the offenders probably will be bound over to the state courts on liquor charges in addition to being fined by the recorder.

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POSITION TO TAKE ON KLAN QUESTION BOthers COOLIDGE

Decision Means Much Not Only To Himself, But To Other G. O. P. Candidates This Year.

BY RAYMOND CLAPPER.
Washington, August 24.—Whether to trounce the Ku Klux Klan, as Davis and La Follette have done, is about the toughest problem Coolidge has tussled with since he became president, because his decision means so much to the political end, therefore, the personal fortunes of many fellow republicans who happen to be candidates for office this year.

Resignation of Alderman J. R. Bachman as chairman of city council finance committee was demanded by Mayor Walter Sims in a public statement Sunday night following announcement by Alderman Bachman Saturday that he would accept the chairmanship and active management of former Mayor Key's campaign against Mayor Sims. He had served as finance committee chairman since appointment by the mayor in January.

Alderman Bachman, informed of the demand, indicated that he would tender his resignation as soon as the mayor presented the demand to him personally, asserting that the chairmanship "being the gift of the mayor, it is within the province of the mayor to take it away."

Mayor Sims based his move against Bachman on the ground that the success or failure of the present administration's policies depends largely on the loyalty and fidelity, as well as the sound business judgment, of the chairman of the committee which to a large extent has the guidance of the finances of the government.

Charges Obstruction Plan.
He pointedly accused Alderman

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Canals and Land Areas Upon Mars Seen by German

Marconi Unable to Express Opinion on Communication With Planet.

Berlin, August 24.—Professor Kasimir Romuald Graff, of the Hamburg astronomical observatory, has announced he observed the various canals of Mars discovered by the Italian astronomer, Giovanni Schiaparelli, and also land areas which he regards as proving the existence of continents on the planet.

Black formations, which the professor believes to be seas, also were observed, as were yellow spots of an obscure nature.

Won't Express Opinion.

London, August 24.—In response to an inquiry from the Associated Press, William Marconi today sent the following dispatch by radio from on board his yacht, the Electra, lying off Lisbon, Portugal:

"I regret that I am unable to express any definite opinions with regard to the attempts to establish communication with Mars. I do not consider that the tests carried out during the nears proximity of Mars to the earth have any greater chance of success than during other times."

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Followers of Rev. W. L. Hambrick, Former Pastor, Announce Intention of Starting New Church.

"Miss Atlanta" To Launch Career on Stage Tonight

"Miss Atlanta" is to launch tonight at the Lyric theater into the stage career which she has declared to be her life-long ambition, and one which her designation as Atlanta's representative in the national beauty pageant at Atlantic City next week bids fair to make possible for her.

Preparation for her premiere appearance tonight occupied most of a busy Sunday for pretty 17-year-old Estelle Bradley, winner of the title "Miss Atlanta" in the Constitution's beauty tournament.

Bright and early Sunday morning she began studying her part, then motored from her Atlanta avenue home to the First Baptist church to play a violin solo, then made final

arrangements by telegraph for a luxurious suite of rooms at the Marlborough-Blenheim hotel at Atlanta City for next week.

Sunday afternoon she rehearsed at the Lyric theater with the full Lyric company in her part in "Madeline of the Movies," which opens tonight for a week's run.

Dress Up Theater For Her.

While the rehearsal was in progress, and for hours before and after, a crew of painters and decorators worked throughout the theater under personal supervision of Monty Salmon, putting it in gala dress for the week in honor of "Miss Atlanta's" presence in the cast.

Director Edwin Vail declared after

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Lieutenant Locatelli, the missing Italian pilot. They said they had seen no trace of Locatelli or his plane during their flight around the Greenland coast from Fredericksdal. When informed that natives near Iluguit had heard what they thought was swimming of an airplane engine and were searching the surrounding country for Locatelli, the Americans expressed the hope that he might yet be found.

ITALIANS INTERESTED IN LOCATELLI'S FATE.

Rome, August 24.—The entire nation is expressing the keenest anxiety over the fate of Lieutenant Locatelli, who has been missing since he started with the American flyers on a flight from Iceland to Greenland last week.

Everywhere the people of Italy had been watching for Locatelli's flight from Pisa and were hoping for a successful termination of it on the American continent.

Gratitude universally is felt for the energetic efforts of the American navy in its search for Locatelli. The feeling prevails that the action of the Americans is another expression of the sympathy and friendship which unites the American and Italian.

Experts are of the opinion that the locality of Locatelli's machine and the quality of the provisions and the tools he carried with him warrant the hope that he yet will be found.

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POSITION TO TAKE BOTHERS COOLIDGE

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by Dawes at Augusta. Coolidge is certain to be heckled until he breaks his silence.

Forced Coolidge Hand.

In a way, Dawes has forced the president's hand, for it is now more difficult for Coolidge to remain silent, than even his own running mate has followed the lead of Dawes and La Follette. And Coolidge, if he says anything, must conform to the view expressed by his partner on the ticket. It would be unthinkable for him and Dawes to be out of harmony on this question.

But here are some of the tangled state situations that Coolidge must take into consideration:

In Texas, the republicans will choose a gubernatorial candidate this week to run against Mrs. Ferguson, the anti-klan democrat. There will be a bitter fight between National Committeeman R. B. Creager, anti-klan republican, and those who will want to put up a ticket sympathetic to the secret order so that the Klan opposition to Mrs. Ferguson will have some logical place to go.

How Oklahoma Affected.

In Oklahoma, the democratic senatorial candidate, Jack Walton, is running on an anti-klan ticket. Pine, the republican senatorial candidate, is a Klan independent with a few Klansmen in the senate, the republicans have no seats to throw away. A Klan denunciation by Coolidge would gain much benefit from it.

Kansas, Paulsen, the republican nominee for governor, is said to have had Klan support.

In Missouri, the normally evenly balanced票数 is a tremendous foreign and negro vote, which will be reluctant to support a ticket it believes is friendly toward the Klan.

Situation In Indiana.

In Indiana, the republican organization is regarded as Klan controlled, yet the negro vote is supposed by politicians to be large enough to help swing the state either way and a Klan denunciation would win them back, but it would put more ammunition in the hands of the democratic candidates, who already have a lot because of the conviction of McCray, former republican governor, for misappropriation of money.

In Maine, Patterson, the democratic candidate for governor, is running on an anti-klan platform.

In New York and New Jersey, the problem is simpler, for the Klan element is not so strong and the size of the foreign and overshadows it importance. Here Coolidge has everything to gain and little to lose by attacking the Klan.

These are some of the political aspects of the problem. But those who know Coolidge do not believe that he will decide the question solely on those considerations. He will consider the Klan as a political principle involved, whether the Klan is an institution for good or evil, and whether a president of the United States can justly proscribe an organization which includes thousands of patriotic citizens.

Personally, I am of the opinion here is that Coolidge will answer Dawes, and that he will record himself against the Klan in principle, while acknowledging the good motives of many of its members. But a glance at the political problems involved indicates the amount of conflicting pressure with which Coolidge must deal in reaching a decision.

PRINCE OF WALES PURSUED ON BOAT

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great opportunity was about to arrive, the chance for which many had studied the tango for weeks.

The prince arrived, but not the opportunity. He stood in the doorway, surveyed the eager, hopeful groups for a moment and turned about and went below.

Disappointed persons, leaving the

Butler Harnesses Up Coolidge's Bandwagon



Quietly confident of success, William M. Butler, the republican campaign manager, is organizing the country for a whirlwind campaign for Coolidge. He is shown discussing early campaign strategy with Frederick C. Hicks (right), the Coolidge manager for the eastern half of the U. S.

dance early, later saw him strolling on deck. He walked the deck's length and back for hours, singing to himself in a voice distinctly audible for 50 feet. He paid no notice to the somewhat amazed spectators, who drew silently aside.

He attended church services Sunday morning. He sat hidden behind the choir, composed of helldogs, stewards and sailors, and gazed steadily over the throng of passengers who were present.

Immediately afterward, he went to the gymnasium to make arrangements for his daily exercise. The gymnasium will be popular for the rest of the voyage, if money and position give any influence over those in charge of the ship.

Walsh warily has evaded all efforts of the photographers so far. Saturday he went to the bridge of the vessel while the cameramen chased from pro to stern in a vain search for him.

BACHMAN IS ASKED BY SIMS TO QUIT

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Bachman of intending to launch an obstructionist movement on the floor of council against the administration's plan of financing the public schools. Mr. Bachman, as chairman of the finance committee, had sponsored in council the three-way school finance plan, involving repeals of improvement appropriations, increased water rate and a special tax levy of 10 cents on the \$100. Mayor Sims approved the first two parts of the plan, but negotiated a loan which made the tax unnecessary.

The alderman called the obstructionist charges "unjustified conjecture."

"In common fairness to the present administration, he should at least resign as chairman of the most important committee of council so that

the success or failure of the policies I am endeavoring to put into effect cannot be attributed to him," Mayor Sims asserted.

Major Reviews Relations.

The mayor reviewed his political and official relations with Bachman and his associates, especially his having rung counter to the city administration's policies on important financial matters, especially in preparation of the January apportionment sheet which the mayor vetoed on the ground that it did not provide for building the Girls' High school. He also quoted comparative figures on the school's financial situation and the financial situation during the Key administration.

The mayor's attack on Key and Bachman, coming as it did on the eve of the close at noon today of the entry book for candidates subject to the September 24 primary, presaged one of the bitterest city political campaigns that has developed in many years, according to veteran political sources.

Entries Close Today.

The entries open through Saturday night had disclosed only one three-cornered contest in all the 25 that are to be decided at the primary. For all the others where a contest had developed, the candidates were paired against each other, two men in each race, making it impossible for the two main candidates to be lined up on the side of one or other of the mayoralty candidates before election day, whether they sought a line-up or not.

In the campaign speeches that have already been made, each mayoralty candidate has "assailed" the other's reformer and songs and both of them have hinted at charges of a sensational nature as soon as entry lists close.

Registration Closes.

Registration closes at 5 o'clock this afternoon for the election of the clerk's office on the first floor of city hall, at or the traveling booth open last week by the League of Women Voters is necessary to qualify for voting in the city primary this year.

Last year the voter was permitted to register for city, county and state elections at the same house, but under a charter amendment approved by the 1923 assembly, the city registration place was moved at the first of this year to city hall.

More than 20,000 Atlantans had registered up through Saturday afternoon.

Mayor Sims' Statement.

Mayor Sims' statement follows: "To the People of Atlanta: I was not surprised to see in Sunday's papers that J. R. Bachman is supporting my opponent in the mayoralty contest.

"We have stated several times that it is the same political ring that fought me two years ago that is fighting me now, but it is much weaker than it was then, and hundreds of people who voted against me then are for me today. There are some who were against me then and are still against me. Mr. Bachman is one of them. He fought me two years ago and I fought him. About two months ago he came to my office and urged me to run for re-election, stating that I had given the people of Atlanta one of the best business administrations he had ever known and even after Mr. Key had announced for mayor he stated to me that he had been handling and that when Mr. Key had sent him to come to his office, he had not gone and was not going, and that it would be a calamity for Mr. Key to be elected mayor.

"I am told that he has made this same statement to others. This is the way he felt two weeks ago when he talked with me about the matter.

"Paid Me Tribute."

"About six weeks ago Mr. Bachman attended a luncheon given by a well-known civic organization, and while I was not present, I am informed that he paid me beautiful tribute as to the manner in which the affairs of the city had been handled, and especially the financial condition of the treasury, which he stated was largely due to the good management of the mayor.

"I heard of this compliment, and when I saw Mr. Bachman I thanked him for it.

"I am relating these facts to show that Mr. Bachman was not a supporter of mine two years ago and so far as his support politically is concerned, I have not lost anything, for he was never for me when I was running for office, and needed his help.

"Mr. Bachman states in his announcement as campaign manager for Mr. Key, a man whom he has publicly announced it would be a calamity to elect, that tax burdens have increased in the past two years. He failed to tell you, however, that I had vetoed practically every increase in taxes, and that I vetoed the finance sheet which he, as chairman of the school board, had prepared.

"About two months ago, Mr. Bachman and myself met with the members of the clearing-house association in an effort to secure for the school department money with which to operate the schools from September 1 to January 1, and I am sure those who were present will recall his words of endorsement of my record as mayor and also his attitude toward the school department.

Increase In Water Rates.

"Mr. Bachman failed to tell the people that he, as chairman of the water committee, led the fight for an increase in water rates. He does say that the results could not have been different had Mr. Key or even himself been mayor, but at the same time tries to leave the impres-

sion every act of mine as mayor of this city.

"It is a custom to give the mayor a second term. My opponent had it. I have an abiding faith in the fitness of the people of Atlanta, and I will be able to show that it is not so much the office of mayor that my opponent wants to fill as another office which my opponent has promised to a certain individual.

"No one in council has been in better position this year to cut expenses and lower cost of government than the manager of my opponent in this campaign, and while I have been disappointed in him both from a standpoint of a man of business judgment and a man of loyalty and fidelity, I feel that it is never too late to at least endeavor to make amends and that as manager of an opponent he is loyal to the public interest, to the administration and in common fairness to the present administration he should at least resign as chairman of the most important committee in council, a committee that has the guidance to a large extent of the finances of the government, so that the success or failure of the policies I am endeavoring to put into effect cannot be attributed to him, and so that we can as little as possible obstruct the support of the schools, which I am informed, he has made known his purpose to do on the floor of council. Respectfully,

"WALTER A. SIMS,
"Mayor of Atlanta."

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR LABOR DAY

Final arrangements were made

Sunday afternoon by the general Labor Day committee of the Atlanta Federation of Trades for celebration of the annual holiday, September 1, when more than 10,000 people will join in the pageant and in the afternoon program of sports and other events at Grant Park. The meeting was held in the Labor temple, and was presided over by President C. W. Cunningham, of the central labor

William Strauss, marshal of the big parade, advised that the pageant will move promptly at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, and that it will traverse the business portion of the city. This parade will be in seven divisions and will comprise a number of interesting floats in addition to the thousands of costumed marchers and ornate automobiles carrying national, state and local organizations.

Exercises at Grant Park will be especially attractive, it was announced, special preparations having been made by park employees for staging various features of the afternoon program. There will be water sports, athletic contests, games, music and racing. Dancing will be featured in the city. The pageant will be followed by a final feature of the entertainment. A championship baseball game will feature the afternoon program. The public has been invited to join in the celebration.

There will be a division of the pageant devoted to the colored local, and the negroes will have their afternoon and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

He is survived by his widow and a daughter, Harriet; his father, H. W. Hancock of Robinson, Ga.; three brothers, Mrs. D. K. McRae, of Atlanta; Mrs. George W. Martin, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mrs. L. O. Andrews, of Robinson; of Toledo, and DuPont Hancock, of Washington, D. C.

The exportation from France of native oysters less than seven centimeters in their greatest diameter is prohibited until further orders.

Peacock Reception

Former students invited to meet D. C. and J. H. Peacock Saturday, Sept. 6, 2 o'clock, at 921 Peachtree, opposite Woman's Club. Class opens Sept. 8. H. E. M. 3310. (adv.)

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Confidence Vote in Herriot Means New French Policy

Loucheur, Great Industrialist, Declares Step Increases Nation's Moral Force in Eyes of World.

BY JOHN O'BRIEN.
Paris, August 24.—Having triumphed in the chamber of deputies by winning approval for the Dawes settlement and receiving a vote of confidence on his negotiations in London, Premier Herriot is expected to repeat his victory in the senate Tuesday.

At 4:30 Sunday morning, after a spirited, nerve-wracking debate that had endured throughout the day and night, the chamber voted its support of the London protocols for effectuating the Dawes reparation settlement. France's dynamic, socialist premier had won his first critical battle since assuming office. He not only had scored a personal victory, but had traveled a long distance in assuring the success of a new opportunity to bring peace back to Europe.

It is generally predicted that Herriot will win again in the senate and obtain final ratification for the Dawes protocols. A sharp clash is expected in the upper chamber, especially if ex-Premier Poincaré intervenes, but it is practically certain that Herriot will receive a vote of confidence.

Means New Policy.

The chamber's action may take an important place in European history. It means approval of a new policy for France—a policy which includes evacuation of the Ruhr and the pursuit of peace based on the principle of confidence and the acceptance of economic facts contained in the Dawes plan. It means also that the entente will be restored and that Germany will be given a chance to recover economically and pay her debts.

The opposition to Herriot centered around the charge that he had made concessions in London which weakened France's security. In this connection, it is pointed out now that the text of the order of the day, under which the chamber's vote was taken, urged Herriot not to forget that the reparations policy might have bad results unless there were guarantees for French security.

It is assumed, therefore, that when Herriot goes to the league of nations meeting in Geneva next month, he will do his utmost to make everyone agree to the French plan for obtaining European security. This would seek to prevent the secret resumption of war manufactures by Germany, especially in the Ruhr, after the French evacuation.

Admits Errors Past.

Even the semi-official Le Soir admits that "the storms are clearing, but it would be disastrous to believe that all danger has passed." The Liberte claims that the 30-hour debate revealed that the London agreement constituted a defeat for France and marked the beginning of German revenge.

Herriot emerged from the chamber at dawn, worn and haggard, but earlier in the night, in the full vigor of his personality, he had aroused the deputies from their lassitude in a remarkable speech which drove home the truth of the Dawes settlement. He appealed to French patriotism, but he appealed also to the interests of mankind.

"The Ruhr is no security," he shouted, "and never could be. Europe's equilibrium must be reestablished."

Eloquence Draws Cheers.

His eloquence drew cheers from all parts of the house, caught the imagination of his hearers and inspired the response that France was "keeping the faith." The scene was a vivid contrast to the nationalistic chamber which had supported Poincaré when France went into the Ruhr.

"Now, like in 1914," declared Louis Loucheur, former minister of reconstruction, "we are increasing our moral force in the eyes of the world. Not wishing to be a democrat but a builder, I support Herriot."

Others caught the same spirit and Herriot emerged triumphant, winning victory for himself and the Dawes agreement.

CONTRIBUTIONS MADE FOR WAYCROSS FAIR

Tulsa, Okla., August 24.—Three men were killed and one was wounded this afternoon on a public highway 21 miles east of here, in a battle which climaxed a family feud starting over an argument between children.

NEGRO UNDER ARREST IN GROCERY ROBBERY

Arthur Gogins, negro, was failed by Call Officers R. E. Carroll and O. M. Morgan about daybreak Sunday morning, following probe of the burglary of the East Linden Grocery company, 288-288 East Linden street. The negro was taken into custody at his home by the police within an hour after the robbery.

Fifty dollars in cash was taken from the register. The value of missing merchandise had not been determined at a late hour Sunday night.

Wise Johnny.

School Ma'am: "Why was Solomon the wisest man?"
Pupil: "Because he had so many wives to advise him."

School Ma'am: "Well, I declare! That is not exactly the reason given in the book, but I award you, Johnny, our weekly prize for brilliant scholarship, and there is a nice large doughnut that will go well with your luncheon." From Everybody's Magazine for September.

Three Coats.

Ike: Why are you wearing so many coats on a hot day like this, Mike?
Mike (carrying a paint can): Why I'm a-goin' ter paint me garage borgers, and it says on the can here that, to get the best results, a fellow should put on three coats.—Good hardware.

The Subject of Petting.
Girl: "I can't agree with you on the subject of petting."
Guy: "How I wish we could get together on that subject!"—From Everybody's Magazine for September.

upon a basis of klan or anti-klan, owing the action of the eighth district convention in unanimously inserting the prohibition issue due to Ferguson's "wet" attitude.

BELIEVE THAT LEE MAY RECONSIDER.

Houston, Texas, August 21.—Belied that T. C. Lee, of Houston, who recently refused to accept the republican nomination for governor, will be prevailed on to reconsider his decision and make the race was expressed in republican circles here Sunday, fol-

lowing the action of the eighth district convention in unanimously inserting the prohibition issue due to Ferguson's "wet" attitude.

With a full national and legislative ticket in the field, interest now is centered on the meeting of the republicans, state executive committee to be held next Tuesday.

If the formal declination of Mr. Lee is presented to the committee and accepted, a new standard-bearer probably will be chosen Tuesday. Mr. Lee is expected to attend the meeting,

"Lay on Macduff, and cursed be he who first cries pull him off."

His opponents seized upon the incident, but it proved a boomerang for the farm vote.

"Maybe he doesn't know about Shakespeare," said the farmers, "but he knows what we want and he'll get it for us."

Political observers pushed aside the sentimental mantle covering Mrs. Ferguson's victory and turned for a

moment to the effects of her victory upon her arch enemy—the Ku Klux Klan, which had long been a political power in the state.

KLAN IS REPRODUCED.

"Shall the people of Texas take

their orders from a Georgia dentist?"

was hurled from the Panhandle to the Gulf by both the Fergusons. The strongest klan sections were invaded by the fearless pair.

And Sunday they saw their ques-

tions answered, as reports indicated

that practically the entire ticket sponsored by the hooded order, from the office of postmaster to railroad commissioners, had been defeated.

Only one candidate that the klan backed, W. C. Edwards, seeking the nomination as lieutenant governor, apparently was victorious and Edwards has repeatedly denounced mem-

bership in the hooded order and re-

frained from expressing partiality in the gubernatorial race.

WARE COUNTY OFFICIAL DIES AT CHARLESTON

Waycross, Ga., August 24.—(Special)—E. J. Berry, for 16 years director of the superior court of Ware county died Sunday at Charleston, S. C. He was 53 years of age, and had been in failing health for two weeks.

He is survived by his widow, a son, Edwin J. Berry, of Charleston, and a daughter, Mrs. J. Fred Bus, of Waycross.

The body will be brought to Waycross and interred in Kettle Creek cemetery. Mr. Berry was very prominent in fraternal and civic circles and his death leaves hosts of friends who mourn.

Pageant To Show Colorful Events In U. S. History

America's patriotic procession through the centuries will be depicted in the pageant which will feature this city's celebration of National Defense Test Day, September 12, according to those in charge of arrangements for the occasion.

In the parade, which will form at Peachtree and Baker streets, and march to the scene of the ceremonies in Piedmont park, will be floats, which will be drawn in allegorical fashion, the various stages of the country's patriotic progress—such as the ride of Paul Revere, the Boston Tea Party and similar outstanding and colorful incidents of this nation's history.

The parade, to be the feature of the city's celebration, also will emphasize representative groups from civic organizations, as well as bodies of troops from Fort McPherson, the national guard and other military organizations in and around Atlanta.

National defense test day, is designed to show just what the nation would do in case of national emergency, and features will be given to the military enrollment, when all people of military age will signify their willingness to serve in times of national distress, by an enrollment which will be no wise obligation to them to future service.

Julian Brown, prominent Atlantan, is chairman of the arrangements for the city, by appointment of Governor Clifford Walker, and associated with him on the executive committee are many of Atlanta's foremost citizens, who are working to make the day spectacular and representative of the city's attitude nationally.

Major General Charles Cox

marshal of the day, while Major Franklin McWhorter is chairman of the committee in charge of the parade. Eugene Black will be orator of the day, at the ceremonies which will be held in the afternoon in Piedmont park.

DEATH CHAIR TO BE IN MAIN BUILDING AT PRISON FARM

Milledgeville, Ga., August 24.—Georgia's electric chair will be located in the basement of the main prison building at the state farm, it was learned here today after a visit by R. E. Davidson, chairman of the prison commission, to the institution. Sufficient electric current is already in the state farm, the lines having been extended several years ago, it was announced. New York's standard of electrocution condemned men will be followed, it was said.

Howard Hinton, sentenced in a DeKalb county court last Friday, will be the first man to be electrocuted since the bill substituting the electric chair for the noose became a law. He has been sentenced to electrocution September 13.

Hinton was convicted of assaulting a woman, while girl next Constitution Ga., August 16, after holding up and robbing her escort. Another negro, found guilty of robbery and attempted assault in connection with the same case, was sentenced to a term of 40 years by Judge John B. Hutchison, of the Stone Mountain circuit, who also imposed sentence on Hinton.

Others caught the same spirit and Herriot emerged triumphant, winning victory for himself and the Dawes agreement.

CONTRIBUTIONS MADE FOR WAYCROSS FAIR

Waycross, Ga., August 24.—Four more contributions for the Waycross agricultural fair were announced Sunday, bringing the total to \$510. J. E. Vane company, J. T. Hopkins & Sons, Waycross Grocery company and the Whitman Commission company each gave \$25. These contributions were secured by J. S. Elkins and William Hopkins.

WAYCROSS BOY SCOUTS ARE AWARDED HONORS

Waycross, Ga., August 24.—(Special)—Reports from the Waycross Boy Scouts at Camp Staton, near Quitman show that Bill Stovall was the merit badge for rifle-shooting; Chas. Parker, merit badge for excellence in swimming, and Herschel Brooks one in judging height, weight and distance. The boys returned to Waycross Sunday.

KLAN'S CANDIDATE CONCEDES DEFEAT

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main at home for several days and just rest." Her husband, who waged a victorious campaign in her behalf, will also remain at home, she said.

Most of next week will be required to complete the collection of the ballots, which will have to be canvassed officially by the state democratic executive committee before Mrs. Ferguson is formally notified of her victory.

Many elements contributed to the almost unprecedented interest shown throughout the state in the election.

Women voters all over Texas took keen interest in the campaign, because of the candidacy of one of their sex, and made their influence felt as never before.

And, in addition to this, there was Mrs. Ferguson's plan to the voters to nominate a family name from the disgraces thrown on her by the impeachment of her husband, former Governor James E. Ferguson. This aroused no little sympathy for her.

Three Coats.
Ike: Why are you wearing so many coats on a hot day like this, Mike?

Mike (carrying a paint can): Why I'm a-goin' ter paint me garage borgers, and it says on the can here that, to get the best results, a fellow should put on three coats.—Good hardware.

The Subject of Petting.
Girl: "I can't agree with you on the subject of petting."

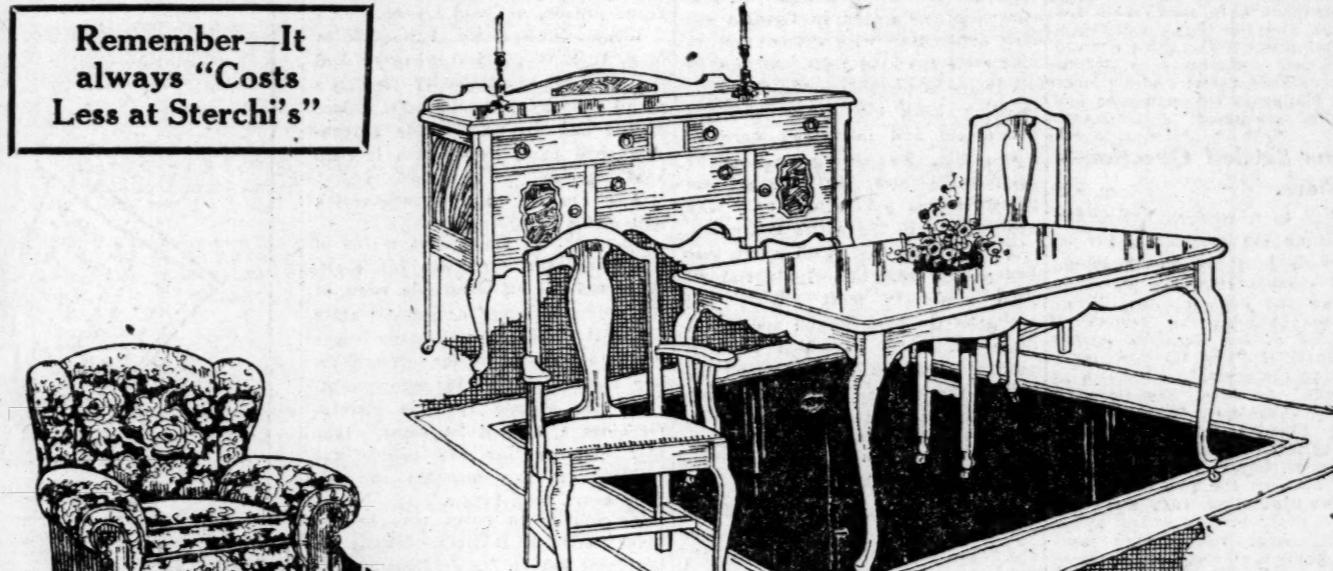
Guy: "How I wish we could get together on that subject!"—From Everybody's Magazine for September.

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8-Piece Walnut Finish Dining Suite for \$95.00

Words and pictures fail to give you a clear idea of just what a bargain this suite is at this price! You simply must see it. It consists of buffet, oblong extension table, arm chair and five side chairs with brown leather seats. A phenomenal value for the money!

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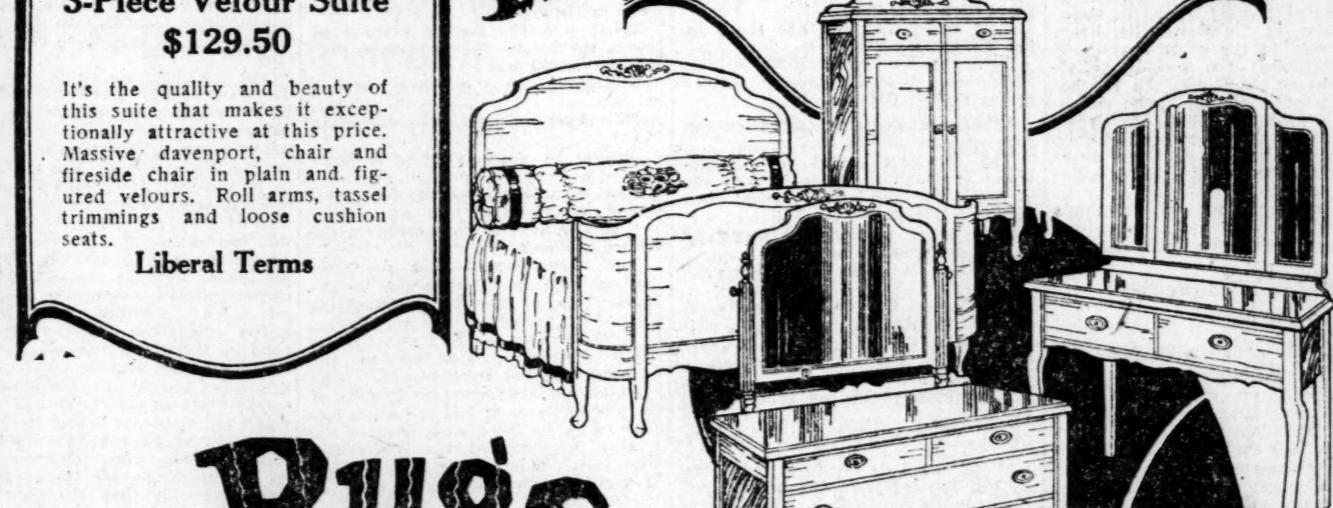
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3-Piece Velour Suite \$129.50

It's the quality and beauty of this suite that makes it exceptionally attractive at this price. Massive davenport, chair and fireside chair in plain and figured velours. Roll arms, tassel trimmings and loose cushion seats.

Liberal Terms



4-Piece Walnut Veneer Bedroom Suite \$165.00

We've offered some wonderful bedroom suite values recently, but this one surpasses them all! Its rich, two-tone finish, graceful design and the generous proportions of each combine to make it a super-value at this price.

Liberal Terms



9x12-Ft. Axminster \$29.50

All Floor Coverings Reduced!

Room-size rugs, linoleums, rag rugs, throw rugs—in fact, every rug now priced at less than regular and sold on credit terms to suit your requirements.

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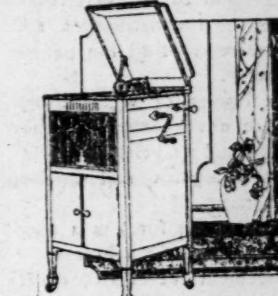


Simmons Steel Beds \$14.95

Finished in white and ivory with imitation cane panelled ends. Two-inch continuous posts.

A Sensation! This 5-Piece Kitchen Outfit Complete at \$69.50

The most essential articles for your kitchen—sturdy, guaranteed combination range, two chairs, white porcelain top table and Congoleum floor covering—all at a tremendous saving today!

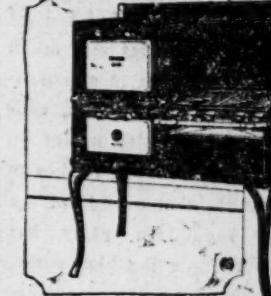


Mahogany Phonographs Now Reduced to \$69.50

Several to be disposed of at this price. Guaranteed motors, beautiful cabinets, spacious record compartments. Easy credit terms.

Maple Porch Rockers \$3.95

Out they go at this price. Woven cane seats. Comfortable form-fitting backs. Hurry!



Four-Burner Gas Range With Broiler for \$39.50

Another example of how prices have been cut for this sale! A guaranteed motor, well-constructed range complete with large oven and broiler and white enamel door fronts at a tremendous saving!



This Bed Outfit Is a White-Hot Bargain at the Sale Price \$24.75

Sounds almost too good to be true! A new style steel bed, walnut finish, heavy sanitary mattress, and link fabric spring—all for only \$24.75! For the spare bedroom this outfit cannot be surpassed. Get it today!



Couch Hammock With Stand \$1 Price

Heavy waterproof canvas hammock with upholstered seat and back, link springs and steel stand complete at the lowest price this year.





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EYE HATH NOT SEEN, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him.—1 Corinthians 2:9.

DAWES ON THE KLAN.

General Dawes, the republican candidate for vice president, evidently thinks about the Ku Klux Klan's activity in politics very much as does Mr. Davis, but in a scorching denunciation of the klan, calling it by name, he also makes an ardent bid for klan votes, having in mind, no doubt, that outside of the south the republican party has notoriously become the klan party, as demonstrated in Indiana, Ohio and other middle western states where the klan is in full or direct control of the republican machinery.

In the following language, however, there can be no misinterpretation of the candidate's standing:

TREND OF THE MARKETS.
The market in stocks was called on to absorb a great deal of profit-taking during the last five days, and for four of these days met the offerings with a great deal of support. Friday, however, the outcome was different, for as additional selling orders came into the market the tone was found to be rather weak, and declines were seen in practically all issues.

The most noteworthy happening of the past week was the spurt in steel common, the advance Wednesday in this stock sending the price up to the highest in five years. Notable advances were noted in other issues, but these saw their prices go back under renewed profit-taking. There were the usual recoveries until Friday afternoon, when the market closed heavy.

What the next few days hold in store for the market is certainly problematical. It seems that a great deal of the reparation news has been discounted, and that the market is waiting for something else to give it an excuse to continue its upward trend.

Everywhere there is the opinion that the trend is upward. Business conditions show all signs of being sound. Money is easy, and the industrial outlook is entirely favorable.

Some commentators have remarked that the stock market has already reflected conditions to come six months from now, and that the advance has been too rapid. However, there are others who declare that better business conditions will continue for more than just six months and for that reason stocks should reflect further these conditions.

MANY IN ONE.

"The Northeast Georgian" is a new weekly newspaper that has made its appearance at Cornelia, though the printing plant from which it is published is located at Demorest. Seth M. Vining is managing editor. It is a neatly printed, 8-page publication and is full of local news from various sections of northeast Georgia.

The art of advertising—the necessity of saying something effective in space too costly to be wasted—and of using words which will puncture the reader's understanding has contributed enormously to the terseness and consequent effectiveness of present-day expression. Sending telegrams and business letters, where surplus words mean extra cost, has also forced the process of elimination and helped to develop a swift and concise habit of thought. And it is this habit of thought which underlies and gives character to our national life.

We are living at the most furious pace yet attained by man, and, notwithstanding the fact that we can fly like birds and speak through space, time is more valuable to us than it ever has been. We have no time to waste on long introductions or rambling discourses.

What we demand of our newspapers and literary writers we also demand of speakers or those who come to see us on business. We say plainly to every one, "If you have anything to say, say it—make it snappy; and if you have nothing to say, kindly get out of the way."

There is no more room in the modern world for the old-time five-volume novel, the sermon which stretched itself to "sixteenth" or beyond, and the speaker who consumes thirty minutes explaining that he did not expect to be called upon, than there is for the dodo or the iguana.

If you have anything to say, say it plainly and quickly or else—get off the wire!

RETIREMENT OF WISE.

The hosts of friends of Congressman Walter Wise, of the sixth district, will be pained to know that ill health has forced him to retire from congress. He has been in poor health for nearly a year and several days ago suffered a relapse. While he is hopeful of complete recovery, he did not feel it fair to his constituency to remain in the race for reelection to congress in his present condition of health, which at best may take several months of quiet and rest before a complete recovery can be expected.

There is no abler man in congress from the south, or from the nation as to that matter, than Walter Wise.

There are many who make more noise, do more speaking and who have acquired the art of keeping themselves and their accomplishments more before the public, but there is no one who thinks more soundly and constructively and who is inspired by greater patriotism or greater devotion to the best interests of his own constituency and the best interests of all the people of the country.

He is a lawyer of great ability, an official of unchallengeable honor and integrity and a Christian gentleman of the highest and noblest ideals of life.

His friends hope for him a complete recovery from his illness.

His retirement leaves two candidates in the field for his seat, Fowler and Rutherford, both prominent in legislative circles and able, constructive democrats.

In the following language, however, there can be no misinterpretation of the candidate's standing:

APPEAL TO RACIAL, RELIGIOUS OR CLASS PREJUDICE BY MINORITY ORGANIZATIONS IS OPPOSED TO THE WELFARE OF ALL PEACEFUL AND CIVILIZED COMMUNITIES.

Our constitution stands for religious tolerance and freedom. This happy country has never been through a religious war such as those which devastated Europe in the centuries past, and brought untold misery to millions of its inhabitants. We have progressed in civilization far beyond that possibility, but to inject religious and racial issues into politics, is contrary to the welfare of all the people and to the letter and spirit of the constitution of the United States.

"Josiah Quincy was right when he said 'society is never more certain in the path of destruction than when it trusts itself to the guidance of secret societies.'

"I have told you why I am opposed to the klan. Take what I say into your hearts and consciences and think it over calmly. However it may be with the mind, there is a ceremony in conscience."

General Dawes declared unequivocally agreement with Mr. Davis that the klan issue had no place in the campaign, and if President Coolidge will be equally as courageous, the klan issue will be a closed one in the campaign, except as the klan organization may inject itself where it is not sought nor wanted.

AGE OF TERSENESS.

Melville Stone recently made the statement that terseness is the predominating quality of present-day newspaper writing and that it is affecting the quality of our literature. He might have gone farther and added that the tendency towards condensation is producing a rare-reaching influence on both private and public speech.

Many agencies have contributed to this. In the hurry of modern newspaper work there is no time for flamboyant writing and no space to print it; and nobody has the time to read it if it were printed. The facts quickly and correctly told is what the present-day reader demands of his newspaper.

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THE WORLD'S WINDOW

BY PIERRE VAN PAASSEN

The Inexpressible Expressed.

It was just after the last session of the London conference. Groups of officials, dignitaries, secretaries and observers were still in the room. Volatile, dynamic little Herriot, premier of France, is shaking hands, laughing the while and receiving congratulations. In distance Hammett MacDonald, canny Scot but also practical idealist, looks on. His keen eye falls on Herr Marx, the Chancellor of Germany. He goes to Herriot, takes the Frenchman's right hand and beckons the German. Herriot talking over his shoulder does not realize what is happening until he looks in the eye of the man whose hand he has just firmly clasped. It is Germany's chancellor, Herriot looks at MacDonald, at Marx. And then shakes, genially and sincerely. Touching moment. "Bain geste." Yes, but also something of great historical significance. For that handshake required no diplomatic skill. It was MacDonald's appeal to higher human sentiments, to which both the Frenchman and the German responded. At that moment the three entered into a higher community, a sphere which transcends racial and national barriers. Happy is the man who has that exalted sentiment.

Belgians' Settled Question— No Others.

A writer in a western newspaper, in explaining the growing power of the Flemish language in Belgium, tells his readers that the Belgians really owe the present equality of their language with the French to the decision of the Germans during the occupation. "The Germans gave the start to the revival of Flemish as a language," he says. The Germans did nothing of the sort. When they approached Flanders, led by their General, Heriot, he demanded that the Belgians give up their Flemish language, but in reality to drive a wedge between the two sections of the Belgian population, they met with a solid opposition. As a last resort Governor-General von Bissing sent to M. Franck, mayor of Antwerp and head of the Flemish movement. The old German pleaded with Franck to support the German program. When Franck proved obstinate, Von Bissing suddenly exclaimed in Flemish: "But M. Franck, I have given you to the extent of learning your language since I met you here." To which Franck replied in French: "And I, Monsieur the governor, I have forgotten it since your coming." The Flemish question, a problem for Belgians alone, was settled by them after the Germans had left.

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Just in Passing

BY JAMES A. HOLLOWAY

The election of Mrs. Ferguson in the Texas gubernatorial race undoubtedly breaks the backbone of the Ku Klux Klan, in its effort to get control of southern democracy.

It succeeded in Georgia in the early spring, in the pre-convention presidential campaign, but since that time the action of the national democratic convention, followed by the denunciation of its secret and sinister activities by the democratic standard-bearer, has caused it to have outstanding reverses in every southern state in which the issue has been specifically drawn.

It was drawn in Arkansas, and the klan lost; strongly and militantly drawn in Oklahoma, in which it is alleged the klan spent great sums of money, and the klan lost; drawn again in Texas, the supposed hotbed of klanism due to it being the native state of the imperial wizard, who is the "emperor" who directs and dictates all of the klan's political activities, and it overwhelmingly lost again, and in a contest where the one single issue was not only directly drawn, but with every normal disadvantage of the anti-klan forces.

From the democracy of this country, therefore, the Ku Klux Klan disappears; and some of those responsible for its injection into the pre-convention campaign in Georgia are now attempting with desperation to turn off the Klan yoke just as they did in the memorable convention days in New York city when "official" statements and interviews were issued daily, for absorption

LIMIT ACTIVITY TO THIRD TICKET

Washington, August 24.—The La Follette board of strategy, in session here over the weekend, has decided to confine its efforts to the La Follette-Wheeler ticket and to avoid endorsing local candidates. Extensive plans for tours of the candidates, pushing the campaign in the south and raising funds were discussed.

The La Follette organization has been under much pressure to endorse local candidates in various states, particularly candidates for congress. But these requests were re-

jected in the following resolution, adopted during the conference:

Statement Issued.

"The work of the joint executive committee shall be confined solely to the campaign for the election of the presidential ticket and no officer or representative of the joint executive committee shall be authorized to endorse any other candidate for public office."

The speaker's bureau has 190 speakers enlisted for the stumping campaign and expects to have 500 working by the end of the campaign.

"The work of organizing the states is progressing rapidly," said a statement issued at La Follette headquarters. "In the last two months the new movement boasts of organizations more active and effective than those of either of the old parties. One of the most significant features of the campaign is the unexpected development of substantial support in practically all the southern states."

A regional director for the south, a southern manager and a southern manager have been appointed, but their names were not given out, pending receipt of official acceptances.

Kansas City Doctor Invents New Truss

New Discovery Heals Rupture Without An Operation.

A new discovery which experts agree has no equal for curative effects in all rupture cases, is the latest accomplishment of the well-known Hernia Specialist, Dr. Andrews, 1228 Koch Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. The extraordinary success of this new method proves that it holds and heals a rupture which would only a few months ago have required an operation. Has no hard graft, no elastic belt, no leg bands, no steel bands, and is as comfortable as a light garment. It has enabled hundreds of persons to throw away trusses and declare their rupture absolutely healed. Many of these had suffered ruptures from which they had suffered years. If Dr. Andrews' ambition to have every ruptured person enjoy the quick relief, comfort and healing power of his discovery, and will send it on free trial to any reader of The Constitution who writes him. He wants one person in each neighborhood to whom he can send a sample, so that he may get a rupture for good, without an operation, take advantage of the doctor's free offer. Write him today. The coupon below is convenient.

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Dr. Andrews, 1228 Koch Bldg.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Without any obligation whatever on my part, please send me your Free Trial Offer. Here is my name and address.

CHEROKEE INDIANS SUING TO RECOVER FIVE MILLION ACRES

Asheville, N. C., August 24.—Claims to recover five million acres of land, embracing much of east Tennessee and including the city of Chattanooga, has been filed by John M. Taylor, attorney, before the interior department for the eastern emigrant Cherokee Indians of Oklahoma and North Carolina. The suits have been filed at Murphy, Cherokee county, N. C., and also in Tennessee. The attorney in support of his claim has filed certified copies of various treaties.

65-CENT HAIR CUT BLAMED ON WOMEN BY FLORIDA BARBER

West Palm Beach, Fla., August 24.—The woman who charged that she was forced to pay 65 cents for a hair cut according to action taken by the barbers' union, an advance of 15 cents.

Woman is the cause of it, the barbers declared, in explaining the advance, and also will have to hand over an "artistic dollar" the first time they get their hair bobbed, and 65¢ for each additional bob.

"Got to do it," lamented one barber. "We can't tell our stories, either."

Madison County Unit May Be Headquarters For Health Officers

Huntsville, Ala., August 24.—(Special)—Madison county's health unit probably will be made a training station for health officers and other workers in health services. It was learned here late night. In the past several years health and sanitary officers have been sent here for field training, and have gained much practical experience. The public health service recognizes this as a model unit and its work is known throughout the nation.

The health board announced Saturday that its work for the elimination of the mosquito-breeding places in practically the whole of Madison county had been completed, and that this would be a "mosquitoless" year for the first time in history.

Mrs. Ferguson has received more than 1,000 telegrams today congratulating her upon her victory, some of the messages facetiously offering "bed sheets and pillow cases at bargain prices."

Mrs. Ferguson's statement follows:

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"The verdict yesterday tells plainer than words what the people think of the Ku Klux Klan, after they have had opportunity to observe its workings and purposes. Texas people do know and ought to know from their opportunity more about what the Klan means than any other state in the union, and just as soon as the Klan's aims have time to leach out the real purposes of the Klan and its secret desire to set up here a super-government, they will do just like Texas did yesterday and repudiate it in terms unmistakable."

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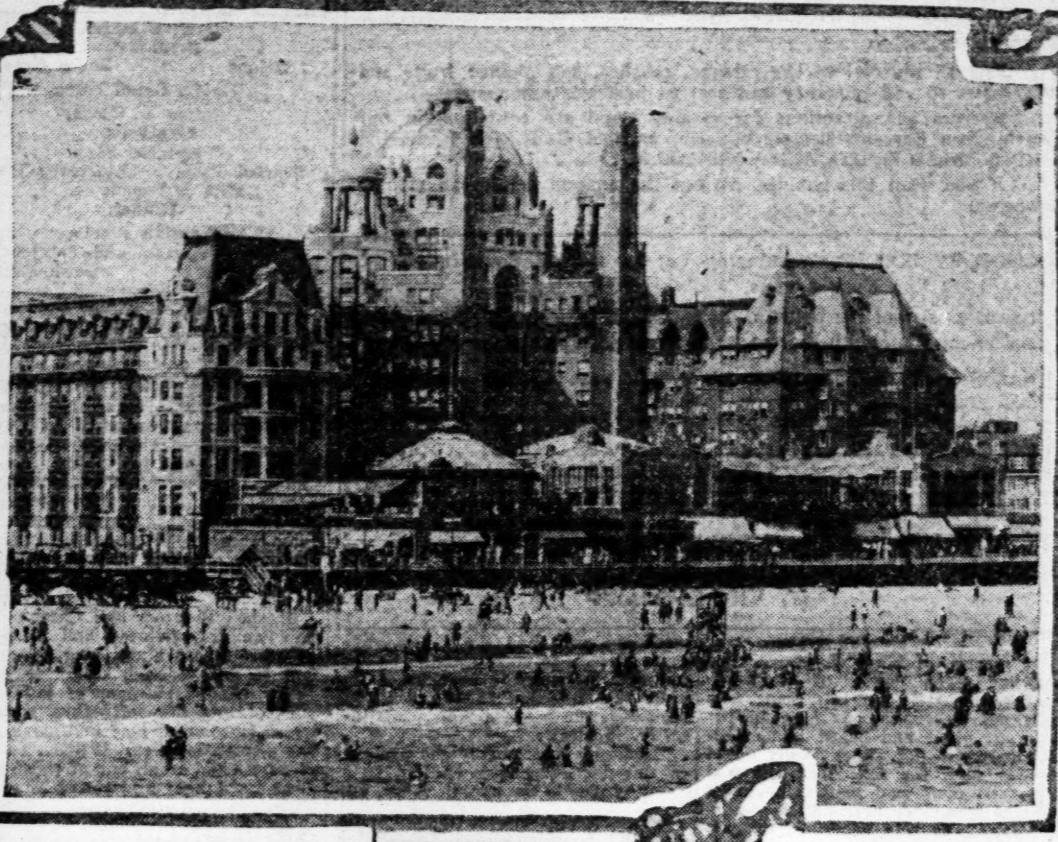
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CALLS NOMINATION ANTI-KLAN VICTORY

Mrs. Ferguson Points Out Its Significance in Texas and in National Democracy as Well.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Temple, Texas, August 24.—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, nominated for governor by the Democrats of Texas yesterday over Judge Felix D. Robertson, of Dallas, her Klan-endorsed opponent, issued a statement to the Associated Press tonight in which she said that chances for a democratic victory would be increased manifold if the people could be made to understand that the democratic platform, "condemning religious intolerance, means, as everybody knows it does, mean, emphatic opposition to the Ku Klux Klan."

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'MISS ATLANTA' BEGINS STAGE CAREER TONIGHT

Continued From First Page.

the Sunday rehearsal that Miss Bradley would carry her part as smoothly as a professional of years of training.

"She seems to have talent and good sense in addition to all her charms of grace and prettiness," the director declared.

The beauty queen, picked from 500 beautiful girls who competed in The Constitution's beauty tournament for the honor of representing Atlanta at the national pageant, is to appear in two scenes of "Madeline of the Movies," one opposite Wilfred Lytell, motion picture and Broadway star, who is leading man, and in the other.

Like Real Life Adventure.

The play readies itself to interpolation of a special part for "Miss Atlanta." It is the comedy of the movies written by George M. Cohan and which Cohan himself played for a long run on Broadway. It revolves around the aspirations of three young girls, who are to be played by "Miss Atlanta," Miss Edith King, leading woman, and Miss Marion White, to become motion picture stars.

Miss Bradley's role will be singularly symbolic of the part she is to play in real life after the Atlantic City pageant. At the expense of a nationally-known motion picture producer she and her chaperone are to go from Atlanta to Hollywood where she is to have a chance to try out for a motion picture career in dead earnest.

"Miss Atlanta's" other engagement during Sunday was at the First Baptist church, where she played a violin solo for the Twentieth Century Bible class, accompanied by Mrs. Theodore Morgan-Stephens, her violin teacher.

To Live Like Heires.

Reservations were made during the day for her and her chaperone at the Marlborough-Blenheim, palatial Atlantic City board-walk hotel, where she is to reside during the pageant next week.

Miss Bradley's suite for herself and chaperone during the week of the pageant will be in the lofty tower

which rises above the castle-like mass

of the huge hotel. From her front quarters, "Miss Atlanta" declared, "because I am going to be in them resting all the time there is not something going on so I can look my very best when the contests are held."

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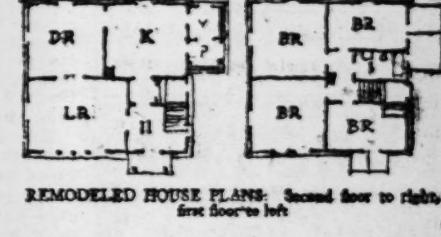
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SLAMS AND SALAAMS By Louise Dooly

The most interesting things you read about in politics, we have found, are the things you read between the lines.

And so the other day we saw in the papers that a very able woman who heads a state department in a state not a thousand miles away from us was threatened by a bill introduced in her legislature with being deprived of her veto power in the appointment of county officers to handle the work of her department in the counties. Whereupon, it didn't take a very keen olfactory sense to enable me to smell a rodent.

Indeed, we didn't take a great amount of pride to ourselves that we immediately suspected that somebody wanted to reward a few politicians with these particular county jobs, and the able lady, strange to say, and understanding the job, somebody had charge of handing them out.

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EVERYTHING COULD BE FRIED.

WE believe that Georgia legislator forgot something who took the floor the other day to show how superficial education is, and limited anybody's reading necessities to the Bible, a hymn book and an almanac. Surely he would include a cook-book.

That would help to keep the women in the kitchen.

Unless, as is probably the case, he sees no reason why women should read at all.

YOU'VE got to hand it to the women who run for office in the way; the main plank in their platform is invariably an educational plank.

Maybe that is the reason so many women are defeated. Men are still in the majority as voters, and men of the "what was good enough for me is good enough for my children" type.

TIGER LOVE—LET IT WORK.

AFTER a year's trial of the new order in the steel industry which relieved the workers of the 12-hour day and the seven-day week—a change which was going to plunge the industry into bankruptcy and make the price to the consumer prohibitive—an unprejudiced survey not only showed the improvement in the living conditions of the workers and the better state of mind—but reveals that production is not decreased and employer and employee are alike satisfied.

We are going through somewhat the same preliminaries now about the protection of children in industry. We are told arguments that will shame a school boy into a compromise debate, that little children cry for hard labor. And those glittering instances are held up for us of the great men—even the spokesmen themselves—who worked on their father's farm. "And look," they will say, "what did for me."

But all the statistics are of the children who survive, and not of that great number who yearly succumb.

We number one case of a young girl—and the case is frequent enough to be a type—whose health gave way soon after she began working. Her job was not difficult, nor were her hours unduly long—for an adult.

The doctor's diagnosis of her case and he was an able man—was that she was too weak to bear the responsibility of earning a living. She had a good constitution, but her health was not established, and more important still, her outlook on life was as yet too timid to cope with life. She needed still to learn of her legitimate protection of parents.

The last element of the American people already seen the justice and even the worldly wisdom, of protecting the individual in his comparatively unproductive period—his childhood—in order that he may be of more value to the state, as was his wife, when he had attained the strength of manhood—years.

This enlightened element is probably in the majority. But unfortunately

all of the enlightened majority do not vote.

There are the women, for instance.

Where is the "tiger love" of mothers, that it withdraws itself from the poll, when such issues are to the front?

Legislators are only partly to blame for un-intelligent legislation.

It is the rest of us voters who put them in power.

Or by our inaction let others put them there.

TO WHAT NOBLE ENDS.

THE invention of the airplane has justified itself.

One arrived on a baseball field the other day with an emergency pitcher just as the substitute pitcher in the game "blew up."

AN OLD ART REVIVED.

IF the present "angel" of the economic conferences now being held at Williamstown, Mass., falls down on the job another year, the newspapers of the country ought to find it profitable to subsidize the institution in recognition of its excellent work and in order that this work might be expanded.

The gift moreover, recognized the responsibility of this department head in establishing this department of work, and will give her the main responsibility in using the fund.

We wondered how long it would take the department to attract the attention of this education foundation or any other, by the outstanding character of the department's work, if it were handled by politicians in reading the news.

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SIDNEY J. HAYLES SHOWS VALUE OF BUSINESS BUDGETS

Sidney J. Hayles, LL. B., C. P. A., of Fourth National Bank building, Atlanta, Ga., in advocating the more general use of budget systems, supplemented by monthly reports of operations, comments as follows:

"A budget should be prepared based on estimated sales and operating costs for the ensuing period. Theoretical monthly statements should be tabulated in advance, based on these figures. These statements will show the monthly profit or loss which will ensue under the existing conditions. If the results which are thus prognosticated are not satisfactory, an opportunity is given in advance to change the policy of the concern in order to make a more favorable showing. In the event the estimated monthly results are satisfactory, but when the actual monthly figures are compiled, a comparison of estimates with actual figures will quickly disclose the reason. The reason being known, an opportunity is given to correct the condition if it is susceptible of correction, during the following months."

Mr. Hayles is of the opinion that the time has come when business points in the direction of some such accounting control as outlined above.

He states that the difference between the above-described system and the usual practice of waiting until the end of a period to learn that the operations have been unprofitable is similar to that between existence as an "antidote" and an "autopsy."

DR. J. W. BEESON REPRESENTS GA. IN FRATERNAL CONGRESS

Dr. J. W. Beeson, president of the Georgia Fraternal Congress, left for Washington Saturday, where he goes to advocate to the National Fraternal Congress the interests of the capital city today, and will leave Thursday. This congress is composed of over 200 fraternal organizations throughout the United States and Canada that carry life insurance protection to an adjunct to their societies. They have a membership of over 10,000,000 men in the United States carrying about one-third of the life insurance that is carried by Americans.

Fraternal life insurance has sprung up in the last 50 years. Now practically all fraternal benefit societies have placed themselves on an adequate reserve, setting aside the proper legal reserve to protect their policyholders. Thanks for this being done largely to the "Mobile bill" and "New York Conference bill," which have become laws in nearly all states.

The annual meeting of the National Fraternal Congress for 1923 shows their new business as the largest in volume for any year since 1913, which was the crest of the boom period.

The members admitted last year were 2,057,762, with insurance written an increase of \$1,253,826,923. Their income was \$221,781,644, an increase of over \$17,000,000 during the year. The disbursements were \$170,107,007, which included benefits to members and beneficiaries of \$127,141,669. The mortality ratio was a little higher than in 1922.

Fraternal insurance now exceeds the ten-billion mark, being \$1,112,528,965. The assets were increased during the year by \$40,000,000, and were \$581,118,983.

One of the speakers on the program this year will be President Calvin Coolidge, who addresses the congress at 10 o'clock, August 27. Other speakers of national reputation will be on the program.

Besides Dr. Beeson as delegate, Mrs. Clara B. Berry, of the Woodward Circle, went as alternate delegate from Georgia. This will be a meeting of great moment to all the societies represented.

Miss Lorene Patterson, 17, of 20 Pierce street, narrowly escaped serious injuries Sunday afternoon at Mooney's lake, when in descending the cable toward the water she struck her foot against a boat, lost hold on the cable and fell.

Dozen spectators, Miss Patterson was taken from the lake by friends and rushed to the Grady hospital. Surgeons expressed the belief that one of the bones in her right foot was fractured. She also was bruised about the body.

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Gertrude Heller.

Ask the Man Who Owns One.

"Animals ain't much good nowadays 'ceptin' to decorate the zoo."

"Oh, I dunno. My cousin's boy writes he has a blind tiger in the city and he's makin' fortune off it."

William W. Pratt.

Scratching my back intrigues me much.

For I've a skin I love to touch.

Going Him One Better.

Lawyer—"Tell the story of your fight in your own words."

Witness—"Well, the plaintiff came along and said, 'Is it warm enough for you?' and then I made it hot for him."

Ruth Lytell.

Backward.

"Some way children ain't as smart as they used to be," in the cross roads store younchesed Gap Johnson, of Rumpus Ridge.

"Ain't, har?" asked a feller from down in Booger Holler.

"Nope! Job cursed the day he was born but my last boy, Bearcat, was mighty nigh two years old before he could swear to amount to much."

Her Opinion.

"Now, Helen," said her mother at the beach, "watch how good papa can swim."

After watching her dad for a few minutes, the five-year-old daughter said: "Mamma, I think daddy is a poor fish."

Rudolf Laban.

Fugitive From Justice.

A La Mode.

Bre' o' Baby Buntingin',
Daddy's gone again,
To get a new skinship
To wrap the baby's mamma in.

Mrs. Eva L. White.

Love.

Love makes the world go 'round,
So it has been said,

Ever since that happy day
When Eve and Adam wed.

But in these hectic times,
If I can see right,

Love makes the world go 'round
In autos every night.

E. D. K.

Highly Colored.

Rastus—"Florian is skairt o' me."

Tenus—"He am not. He's good scrapper."

Rastus—"Good scrapper, huh?

Why, dat boy am so yellow he's got oranges in his veins."

Clarke Salmon.

Irate Husband (meeting wife at appointed place)—"Here you are again—an hour late! What's the good of daylight-saving, I want to know."

Mrs. Frank Wells.

Probably.

I hate to see the sun rise

But I'll be on the spot

To see its golden glory

The morning I am shot.

Tennyson J. Daft.

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The King of Beasts

BY COURTYN RILEY COOPER

(Continued from Sunday's Magazine.)

And with it the dog sprang also, to grow, in half-carnass fashion, to evade the swift striking claws, and then, like some over-heavy pugilist suddenly endowed with the strength of a lightweight to strike the cat far to the right with his paw, tumbling it off balance and then, before it could regain its poise, to seize it by the neck, strongly yet gently, to shake it almost in playful fashion, and finally, with sudden, whirling motion, to throw it far from him, and, side by side, lay his head and pawing, but not moving again to the attack. Outside the cage a laugh sounded, that of the girl.

"Well, there's one thing certain," came at last, "that cub's found some-

"It was a good start," Ned Wainright said, and he moved closer to the bars. "Looks like we might be able to do something through that dog. Better not leave them together too long at the start—might be best to work it gradually. This way Crook's on the best road to let him find out for sure that he's not the demon he thinks he is. We'll take Gyp out now, and try it again to-morrow."

With the result that the hissing

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asked as they started around the big top together.

"It's gone even further—they're sleeping side by side. You've noticed in the last few days how Gyp has been able to go up to Crook without I just left them together—they're all right now, I think."

But they had gained the menagerie connection now and turned within. Softly they started to make their way to the cage, the girl slightly on the hand.

"That's the way I figured it too,

and so this afternoon, I just thought I'd try them out. Fixed up a rubber ball with some catnip on it and tossed it into the cage. Gyp began to play with it, and then, like I'd figured, the cat attacked the ball. Pretty soon moved out of his corner and pawed at the ball, whereupon Gyp barked and knocked the thing across the cage, and the romp was on. I let them play until they got tired, and

then the lion stretched out, Gyp, like the great pup is, moved right over beside him and lay down, too. So I just left them together—they're all right now, I think."

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"Look!"

For the cat evidently had just awakened, and was finishing its feline stretching. Then slowly, it had begun to circle the dog, its body moving sinuously, its eyes narrowed again.

"Gyp! Gyp there! Quick!"

The man shouted it as he ran forward, searching hastily for a feeding fork as he went. The actions of the cat now were apparent: the skin

was drawn back from his teeth as he moved about the sleeping dog until he could reach a point behind its back. The muscles bunches, a baby attempt at a roar and he leaped.

Scratching and clawing, his jaws working swiftly, he settled in a lump upon the bulldog's neck—even before Wainright could reach the bars with his hastily summoned feeding fork, the blood had begun to spurt as the feline victim, in its frantic, death-thrashing, sought to free himself from the trap.

Wainright, carrying him to the cage where they bandaged him, the man with a determined gleam in his eyes as he leaped the lacerations and cauterized them—for the cut of a cat's claw is

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DAVIS WILL SPEAK NEXT FROM NOTES

Locust Valley, N. Y., August 24.—John W. Davis, in addressing the democratic state convention at Columbus, Ohio, next Tuesday, will make the first extemporaneous speech of his campaign.

The democratic presidential candidate has decided not to prepare his address in advance, but to strike out straight from the shoulder on what he conceives to be the principal issues on which his own and the republican parties differ.

Mr. Davis will leave here for Columbus tomorrow afternoon and will return Wednesday for further conferences with those in charge of campaign organization before he starts for the west next Sunday on his first extended speaking tour.

The democratic nominee had a quiet day at his home here today. He read the full text of the statement at Augusta, Maine, of Charles G. Dawes, the republican vice presidential candidate, regarding the Ku Klux Klan, but declined to make any comment.

Committee Now Organized.

Washington, August 24.—Completion of the organization of the democratic national committee was announced today with the selection of the personnel of the speakers' bureau.

Representative James V. McClintic, of Oklahoma, was appointed chairman of the bureau; Mrs. Bernice S. Pyke, of Ohio, vice chairman, and John F. Costello, of Washington, D. C., assistant to the chairman.

LOGAN CLARKE

Mosquito Hordes Cause Quarantine Upon Children

Chicago, August 24.—Hordes of mosquitoes descended on North Shore and northwestern communities Sunday, and because of the severe outbreaks were closed, the children of one town were ordered to remain indoors and some churches failed to hold services.

Within 12 hours the danger from the mosquitoes had become so acute that Dr. Harry W. Moore, health officer at Winnetka, issued an order declaring an emergency and directing children to remain at home until further notice. His order came after scores of youngsters had been stricken with fever, said to have resulted from the bite of the unwelcome visitors.

Wealthy residents of the fashionable North Shore community met and donated thousands of dollars to a fund to drive the pests away.

Winnetka residents and authorities are leading the fight. Sunday they placed orders for hundreds of sprayers and many gallons of crude oil. They issued a call for volunteer spraying squads to start work Monday.

The Best Man.

Just before the wedding ceremony Pat came down very much disheveled. When asked what had happened he said: "I met a man upstairs and when I asked him who he was he said, 'I'm the best man.' And hegory, he was!" —From *Everybody's Magazine* for September.

The natives of Turkistan regard yawning as a reprehensible act and indicative of a state of preparedness for the reception of demons.

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Jonathan Davis in Hot Battle For Second Term in Kansas



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Chicago, August 24.—Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel defending Nathan F. Leopold, Jr., and Richard A. Loeb, was preparing tonight the wind-up of his closing argument, in which he asks the court to save his young clients from the gallows, the sentence asked by the state for murdering Robert Frank.

Meanwhile, in their cells in the county jail, Loeb and Leopold were speculating on the mental attitudes they would take should the final verdict be death. Leopold declared that he would look upon death as he had looked upon life, "without prejudice and without the false comfort of a religious prop."

Loeb, on the other hand, wavered and wanted to "forget the gallows and talk about something pleasant."

In commenting upon a possible death sentence, Leopold declared:

"For almost 20 years I have school myself to look life in the face without prejudice and without the false comfort of any religious prop."

"If, after all that self-education, I should turn and run enveloping to religion when in the shadow of the gallows, I should feel so contemptuous of myself that I would be glad to die anyway."

Loeb dismissed the discussion with the assertion that "if I should be committed to the penitentiary, I might be converted to some religion."

At present, I am still interested in religion, but only as I am interested in myths and folklore. If I were to have a home there, there would be no little time left to live than I don't believe that I would have time to become converted to any religion. But let's forget the gallows and talk about something pleasant."

Mr. Darrow is expected, when he resumes his pleading before Judge John R. Caverly tomorrow, to continue his onslaught against the testimony of state alibi witnesses. Following the veteran attorney will come Benjamin Bachrach, also of defense counsel. Probably Tuesday Prosecutor Robert E. Crowe is to close for the state. Judge Caverly then will take the case under consideration. He has not stated definitely when his final decision will be announced.

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